

## 1 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

2 World-Wide-Web Vending Machines™ is a network of vending machines of electronic  
3 information. The vending machine members are linked by wire, cable and wireless. Each  
4 member comprises receiving, memory, displaying and disseminating units to receive,  
5 store, manipulate, retrieve, display and dispense electronic, electronically transformed  
6 and electronically stored information. Each member comprises a receiving unit which  
7 receives information from various sources, software unit to selectively manipulate subsets  
8 of information. It comprises a viewing screen to display information and a disseminating  
9 unit to transmit, transfer and beam information. It comprises a printer and a binding  
10 device for making copy. Moreover, the invention provides a method of disseminating  
11 electronic, electronically transformed and stored information by a network of vending  
12 machines.

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